

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Sheriff Andrews of Hawaii is in town.

Blue Serge Suits well made for \$7 at Kerr's.

J. T. Waterhouse has a bargain counter for you.

Attorney-General Smith returned to the city yesterday.

Captain Berger and his band play at Emma Square this evening.

The Sons of St. George instal their officers for the ensuing year this evening.

The Board of Registration is again off to the country districts to drum up a few voters.

Collarettes, Belts and Choakers, and Neck Ruchings for the races at N. S. Sachs.

The Fourth of July committee meet at the Arlington on Wednesday evening next.

Latest leather Belts, Kid Gloves and the finest line of Shirt Waists at N. S. Sachs.

The Tug of War repeats its successful attraction to-morrow evening. Buy your tickets early.

Ho, for the races! Ladies and children's trimmed Hats for the 11th, correct style at N. S. Sachs.

His Excellency the U. S. Minister presented his credentials this morning and was received with the customary courtesies.

Juan Camacho has an excellent poultry dinner to-morrow in family style with plenty of other good things to select from.

Fine Organdies, confection Muslins, in blue, pink, lavender, nile green, lagoon and cardinal, showy and pretty material at N. S. Sachs.

The Y. M. C. A. will probably shortly have a cycle track of their own, and it may be expected to be conducted on clean and wholesome principles.

Attorney-General W. Owen-Smith will leave for Hawaii to-morrow. It is reported that His Excellency will personally investigate the Hakalau murder case.

A change of venue having been granted, the four natives charged with the murder of a Chinaman on Molokai have been brought to this city for trial.

There will be a special meeting of the Y. H. I. this evening at Foster Hall. All members are requested to attend as there is business of importance to be considered.

The many friends of A. St. M. Mackintosh will be glad to hear that he is again on deck at the Foreign Office having completely recovered from his recent severe indisposition.

The Ka Ahailono o Hawaii celebrated its first issue this morning with a luau luncheon in which the entire staff of THE INDEPENDENT joined with their best wishes for the success of the new venture.

Major J. Walter Jones leaves on Tuesday for Hawaii. During his absence Capt. Camara will be in command of the second battalion. He is one of our best officers and well worthy of the command.

W. W. Dimond has something very interesting and important to economical householders in his notice to-day. He has evidently taken the lead in all matters pertaining to crockery and glassware.

The Portuguese celebrated Whit Sunday in a regular old country fashion yesterday. The church festival attracted thousands during Saturday and Sunday, the band played on and in the evening there were fireworks around Punchbowl.

A large number of visitors, amongst whom were many ladies and children, enjoyed the hospitality of Col. Sherwood at Long Branch Baths yesterday and were gratified by having a close view of the dashing waves which broke in mountainous masses of silvery foam along the reef-encircled shore. The surf is breaking more grandly at present than for a year past and the daring surf riders give added interest to the inspiring ocean view.

Sharkey Will Defeat Maher.

"There can be no doubt," says a prominent sportsman, "that Sharkey will defeat Maher when they meet at the end of this month." If this prophecy comes out correct the Sailor's victory can be attributed to the fact that he "rubs" his inner man down with the fine brand of O. P. S. whiskey now imported here by J. H. Lovejoy & Co., and cools off on pure Seattle beer, which wholesome beverages are now being served at the Anchor Saloon.

A GOOD BALL GAME.

The Regiments Defeat the Stars in a Close Game.

The game played on Saturday last on the Recreation Grounds between the Regiment and Star teams in the baseball championship series was one which well repaid those present to witness, and the absent ones lost the opportunity of seeing the most interesting game so far played this season. By reason of the rainy weather, which made the ball "greasy" and the ground slippery, the game was marked by numerous errors to either side, the Regiments making 10, and the Stars 8. The evenness of play made the game at times exciting, and the interest was maintained until the last innings. The Regiments had the game won two or three times but the Stars pluckily stayed on deck and bucked adverse fate in such a manner that it was a close call for the Regiments to pull out victors which they did finally in a score of 15 to 14. Time of game, 2 hours 20 minutes. Umpires, Whitney and Lucas. Scorer, Blackley. Following is the score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Stars	0	1	0	2	4	0	1	6	0	14
1st Reg.	3	1	0	1	2	3	3	2	*	15
Time...	8	15	9	13	22	14	20	23	7	

FIELD NOTES.

A close call—15 to 14.

'Twas a Star game, "allright, allright."

Moore done more than his share. He was "in it" with both feet.

THE INDEPENDENT called the turn right, "an interesting and hard-fought game."

The Stars faced the music of the sphere as pluckily as usual.

"Chester Lightdirt" was a heavy weight at work in playing ball. Foul flies died in his hands.

Umpire Harry Whitney minds neither wind nor weather. Wind was used for "time," but Harry said "nit."

Duncan should be "roasted," only he is really not in condition, but worked hard.

Old reliable "Duke" O'Connor stopped the game.

Babbitt worked hard and made a good showing. Reserve Lionel was also on hand.

A greasy ball and slippery play by both nines.

Even the bleacher kids got "on to" Gorman when he "panted" in the 8th.

Cincinnati, May 14th.—Cincinnati 6, New York 5; 11 innings. Both played ball in the presence of 4000 people.

The exchanges say that the Australian players were "expected to be at least 3rd class professionals, but they are not even 1st class amateurs." Get on, some local club!

Harry Wilder had short touch with several hot ones but severed connection quickly.

Luahiwa's home run in the first was well earned. Gorman should have stopped that collision in the 5th.

The audience was well pleased with the changeable events in the game.

Both teams "played ball" for blood, never mind the errors; the weather and ground were against close play.

Pahau, as usual, played well, but Gorman and Bowers did lay him out neat in the second.

Moore is liable to be jailed for stealing so many bases. So are Mahuka and Percy Lishman.

Gorman played well behind the bat, as did Cunha and Wilder, but some of their "second" throws were wide.

Kaonohi held a hot one from Cunha, in the 6th, which gave the Stars a cipher instead of a tally.

Scorer Blackley is the delight of the press "den." Affable and up to date.

The chances are, that there will not be any game next Saturday. Too much horse.

Gorman is all over the field in a ball game. On Saturday he got inside another man's pants.

They never stopped for weather. Both nines played ball together, And Gorman made much laughter, With his "change" pants on.

THE TUG-OF-WAR.

A Merry Time of It and a Good Evening's Sport.

There was plenty of fun and excitement at the opening night of the Tug-of War contest on Saturday at the Bristol's pavilion on the corner of Beretania and Alakea Streets, and the managers gave the large attendance full value for the gate money, and there were no kicks registered. The Hawaiian Quintette Club boys furnished capital music, and in fact by their muscle stirring strains of Moanalua scored a credit for that team, proving that music has charms to stir the hugging breast and make the manly bosom swell off into the muscular tissues of arms and thighs.

The able officers who honestly and judiciously discharged their important duties were, Judge, Thomas Wright; referee and starter H. E. Walker; time keeper, Charles Crane, and marker W. Nott.

The first contest was between two brawny, stalwart and massive teams of natives, handsome specimens of physical manhood, representing the Honolulu Iron Works and the Pakaka, or wharf boys. This was a splendid contest of 33 minutes, and then as the Foundry boys won to the 5 feet notch, the roof was lifted with such uproarious cheers that Dole Cabinet probably trembled at the thought of another revolution, but the military were not despatched to Tantalus or Waikiki.

Considerable interest was taken in the next tug, for the appearance of the team of the sailor boys of the Philadelphia was more promising than that of the Waikiki native fishermen and boat boys; but it was soon seen that the rule that appearances are often deceiving was a good thing to bet your hat on, for the kanakas downed the Navy in nine minutes.

The third pull should have been with a team that showed its discretion by running away to fight another day, so the Moanalua team was pitted against a scratch kanaka team. Things were going very evenly until the biased band boys struck up on their twangers "Moanalua." This was quite enough; the scratch team couldn't stand such "music" as that, and they quietly faded away into ethereal space leaving their rope wraith as a memento in the hands of the boys from the haunts of Sunday luau, okolehao and other friskinesses.

To-morrow evening the contesting teams will be:

- 1 U S S Marion vs Moanalua.
 - 2 Honolulu Iron Works vs Waikiki.
 - 3 Pakaka vs U S S Philadelphia.
- The admission will be of and 25 cents.

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TUG OF WAR

Tuesday Evening, June 8

At Bristol's Pavilion, Commencing at 8 o'clock.

U. S. S. Marion vs Makani Hoco, Honolulu Iron Works vs. Waikiki, Pakaka vs. U. S. S. Philadelphia.

Admission.....50 and 25 Cents

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It being impossible for the Treasurer to reach all intending subscribers to the Permanent Memorial, or the Day's Celebration Funds, subscriptions will be received at the offices of

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Honolulu, 27th May, 1897.

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Mr. W. W. Dimond.

Von Holt Block,

Thirteenth Annual Meeting OF THE

Hawaiian Jockey Club

JUNE 11, 1897.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM.

Races will Commence at 10 a. m. Sharp on the 11th.

Races will Commence at 1 p. m. on the 12th.

FRIDAY, JUNE 11.

FIRST—BICYCLE RACE.

Half-mile dash. Prize: Trophy, valued at \$20.

SECOND—BICYCLE RACE.

One mile handicap. Prize: Trophy, valued at \$30.

THIRD—HONOLULU PURSE, \$150.

Running race, half-mile dash. Free for all.

FOURTH—MERCHANTS' PURSE

Trotting and Pacing to Harness; best 2 in 3; 2:35 class. Purse \$150.

FIFTH—IRWIN CUP RUNNING.

One mile dash; for Hawaiian bred Horses; to be won twice by members of the Jockey Club. \$150 added.

SIXTH—MULE RACE.

One mile dash. Purse, \$50.

SEVENTH—KAPIOLANI PARK PURSE.

Trotting and Pacing to Harness; best 2 in 3; 2:30 class. Purse, \$150.

EIGHTH—OCEANIC S. S. CO'S CUP. \$150 ADDED.

Running Race; three-fourths-mile dash. Hawaiian bred.

NINTH—PRESIDENT WIDE-MANN'S CUP.

One and a quarter miles; free for all, \$150 added; to be won twice.

SATURDAY, JUNE 12.

Nos. 1 and 2, same as June 11.

THIRD—HAWAIIAN JOCKEY CLUB PURSE.

Five-eighths of a mile dash for Hawaiian bred. Purse, \$150.

FOURTH—ENTERPRISE BREWING COMPANY'S PURSE.

Pacing and Trotting; free for all; best 3 in 5. Purse, \$150, with \$50 added.

FIFTH—ROSITA CHALLENGE CUP. \$200 ADDED.

Running Race; one mile dash.

SIXTH—MAIDEN RACE.

Half-mile dash. For Horses that have not previously started. Purse, \$100.

SEVENTH—SPECIAL RACE.

Pacing and Trotting; handicap; free for all beaten horses. Purse, \$150.

All entries are to be made with the Secretary before 2 o'clock TUESDAY, June 8, 1897. Entrance fees to be 10 per cent of purse; unless otherwise specified.

All Races to be run or trotted under the Rules of the National Trotting Association and Stud Horse Association.

All Horses are expected to start, unless withdrawn by 9 o'clock a. m. on June 10, 1897.

General admission.....50 Cents Grand Stand (extra). 50 Cents and \$1 Carriages (inside Course) each..\$2.50 Quarter Stretch Badges.....\$5 Per Order of Committee, S. G. WILDER,

Secretary Hawaiian Jockey Club.

COTTAGE TO LET.



A COTTAGE ON KING Street, a little beyond Liliha, is To Let reasonable Enquire this Office. 1897-11